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PETITION FOR EXPRESS ABANDONMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.138(b)

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.138(b), I hereby petition to expressly abandon the above-identified patent application. The undersigned is an attorney of record.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16, 1.17, and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-1283.

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TRANSMITTAL OF DOCUMENTS

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